

# FEE TRANSMITTAL for FY 2001

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| Application Number   | 09/936,583            |
| Filing Date          | 9/14/01               |
| First Named Inventor | MATHIS, Gerard et al. |
| Examiner Name        | SIEW, Jeffrey         |
| Group / Art Unit     | 1637                  |



Attorney Docket No. LOM-0024

FEE CALCULATION (continued)

## METHOD OF PAYMENT (check one)

1.  The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge indicated fees and credit any over payments to:

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| Deposit Account Number | 13-3402                                |
| Deposit Account Name   | Millen, White, Zelano & Branigan, P.C. |

Charge Any Additional Fee Required Under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17  
 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

2.  Payment Enclosed:  
 Check     Credit card     Money Order     Other

## FEE CALCULATION

## 1. BASIC FILING FEE

| Large Entity Fee Code | Fee (\$) | Small Entity Fee Code | Fee (\$) | Fee Description        | Fee Paid |
|-----------------------|----------|-----------------------|----------|------------------------|----------|
| 1001                  | 750      | 2001                  | 375      | Utility filing fee     |          |
| 1002                  | 330      | 2002                  | 165      | Design filing fee      |          |
| 1003                  | 520      | 2003                  | 260      | Plant filing fee       |          |
| 1004                  | 750      | 2004                  | 375      | Reissue filing fee     |          |
| 1005                  | 160      | 2005                  | 80       | Provisional filing fee |          |

SUBTOTAL (1)

(\$ 0)

## 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

| Total Claims | Entity Fee Code | Extra Claims | Fee from below | Fee Paid |
|--------------|-----------------|--------------|----------------|----------|
| 46           | 40**            | 6            | 50             | 300      |
| 2            | 3**             | 0            |                | 0        |

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| Large Entity Fee Code | Small Entity Fee Code | Entity | Fee Description | Fee Paid   |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|--------|-----------------|--|
| 1202                  | 50                    | 2202   | 9               | Claims in excess of 20                                     |
| 1201                  | 200                   | 2201   | 42              | Independent claims in excess of 3                          |
| 1203                  | 280                   | 2203   | 140             | Multiple dependent claim, if not paid                      |
| 1204                  | 84                    | 2204   | 42              | ** Reissue independent claims over original patent         |
| 1205                  | 18                    | 2205   | 9               | ** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent |

SUBTOTAL (2) (\$ 300.00)

## 3. ADDITIONAL FEES

| Fee Code | Large Entity Fee (\$) | Small Entity Fee Code | Small Entity Fee (\$) | Fee Description  | Fee Paid |
|----------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|--|----------|
| 1051     | 130                   | 2051                  | 65                    | Surcharge - late filing fee or oath  |          |
| 1052     | 50                    | 2052                  | 25                    | Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet                     |          |
| 1053     | 130                   | 1053                  | 130                   | Non-English specification  |          |
| 1812     | 2,520                 | 1812                  | 2,520                 | For filing a request for reexamination                                     |          |
| 1804     | 920*                  | 1804                  | 920*                  | Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action                     |          |
| 1805     | 1,840*                | 1805                  | 1,840*                | Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action                        |          |
| 1251     | 110                   | 2251                  | 55                    | Extension for reply within first month                                     |          |
| 1252     | 410                   | 2252                  | 205                   | Extension for reply within second month                                    |          |
| 1253     | 930                   | 2253                  | 465                   | Extension for reply within third month                                     |          |
| 1254     | 1,450                 | 2254                  | 725                   | Extension for reply within fourth month                                    |          |
| 1255     | 1,970                 | 2255                  | 985                   | Extension for reply within fifth month                                     |          |
| 1401     | 320                   | 2401                  | 160                   | Notice of Appeal   |          |
| 1402     | 320                   | 2402                  | 160                   | Filing a brief in support of an appeal                                     |          |
| 1403     | 280                   | 2403                  | 140                   | Request for oral hearing   |          |
| 1451     | 1,510                 | 1451                  | 1,510                 | Petition to institute a public use proceeding                              |          |
| 1452     | 110                   | 2452                  | 55                    | Petition to revive - unavoidable   |          |
| 1453     | 1,300                 | 2453                  | 650                   | Petition to revive - unintentional   |          |
| 142      | 1,300                 | 242                   | 650                   | Utility issue fee (or reissue)   |          |
| 1502     | 470                   | 2502                  | 235                   | Design issue fee   |          |
| 1503     | 630                   | 2503                  | 315                   | Plant issue fee  |          |
| 1460     | 130                   | 1460                  | 130                   | Petitions to the Commissioner  |          |
| 1807     | 130                   | 1807                  | 130                   | Petitions related to provisional applications                              |          |
| 1806     | 180                   | 1806                  | 180                   | Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt                                  |          |
| 8021     | 40                    | 8021                  | 40                    | Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties) |          |
| 1809     | 750                   | 2809                  | 375                   | Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))              |          |
| 1810     | 750                   | 2810                  | 375                   | For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))           |          |
| 1801     | 750                   | 2801                  | 375                   | Request for Continued Examination (RCE)                                    |          |
| 1802     | 900                   | 1802                  | 900                   | Request for expedited examination of a design application                  |          |

Other fee (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

\*Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid

SUBTOTAL (3)

(\$ 1020.00)

\*\*or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see above

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

MATHIS, Gerard et al.

Examiner: SIEW, Jeffrey

Serial No.: 09/936,563

Group Art Unit: 1637

Filed: 9/14/01

Title: METHOD FOR REDUCING FLUORESCENCE QUENCHING IN BIOASSAYS

**AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop - Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Final Office action dated 21 September 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 14 of this paper.

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